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Reference AL - German Patent No. DE 199 03 682 Al shows a device with a constant speed motor. The change of the flow rate is effected by means of several hydro pumps working in parallel. The pressure of the fluid is changed by changing the cross-section of the fluid removing duct.

Applicants respectfully request that the foregoing information and listed document be considered by the Examiner, and formally be made of record in the present application, and that an initialized copy of said Form PTO-1449 be returned in accordance with M.P.E.P. § 609.

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